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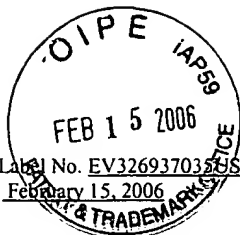
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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/785,864

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BASED SERVICE AND A SWITCH-  
BASED FORWARDING SERVICE

Customer No.: 20350

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